

HOUSE No. 926

By Mr. Quinn of Dartmouth, petition of John F. Quinn and Joyce
A. Spiliotis relative to the durable power of attorneys. The Judiciary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DURABLE POWER OF ATTORNEY.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 Section 5 of Chapter 201B of the General Laws, as appearing in
- 2 the 2000 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the
- 3 following to the end of the paragraph:—
- 4 Unless the durable power of attorney states a time of termina-
- 5 tion, the power is exercisable notwithstanding the lapse of time
- 6 since the execution of the instrument.